Which was read and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Perry presented four memorials of sundry citizens of Allegany county, praying the incorporation of a bank in said county, to be called the Union Bank of Allegany coun-

Which was read and referred to the committee on ways

and means.

Mr. Mann presented a petition of Ann Flinn, praying to be divorced from her husband, Patrick Flinn;

Which was read and referred to the committee on di-

vorces.

Mr. Comegys presented a petition of sundry citizens of Cecil county, praying that a law may pass authorising the commissioners of said county to levy a sum of money for the purpose of building a bridge and making a dam in said county;

Which was read and referred to Messrs Comegys, Hen-

derson and Taylor.

Mr. Hicks presented a petition of Cain Harley and Job Harley, of Dorchester county, praying to be released from payment of the caution money due on certain land taken up by them in said county;

Which was read and referred to the committee on claims.

Mr. McLean presented a memorial of the Citizens' Bank of Baltimore, praying to be released from the payment of a certain portion of the State's bonus, for the reasons therein mentioned:

Which was read and referred to the committee on ways

and means.

The Speaker laid before the house a communication from Alexander Donoho, Esq. stating that he is confined by indisposition, and asking to be excused from serving upon the committee on the constitution;

Which was read, -And,

On the question being put, on excusing him,

It was determined in the affirmative.

The Speakerthe reupon, appointed Mr. Crisfield, on said committee, in place of Mr. Donoho, who was excused by the house.

Mr. Culbreth, obtained leave to bring in a bill. to be entitled, an act supplementary to the act of 1829, chapter 153, providing for the appointment of an officer of the State of Maryland, to be called the Steward to the Governor;

Ordered, That Messrs Culbreth, Billingsley, and Wor-

thington, report the same,